

**TABLE E1.** Associations between prevalence of infections with sIgE levels, skin reactivity (SPT responses) to aeroallergens, current wheeze, current wheeze plus symptoms, and asthma ever in life in children 4 to 5 years old (n = 311)

Infections	sIgE level ≥0.70 kU/L*		Positive SPT response*		Current wheeze		Current wheeze plus symptoms		Asthma ever in life	
	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†
<i>T gondii</i>										
Yes (n = 44 [14.1%])	16 (36.4)	1	12 (27.3)	1	21 (47.7)	1	23 (52.3)	1	6 (13.6)	1
No (n = 267 [85.9%])	100 (37.5)	1.18 (0.59-2.34)	77 (28.8)	1.15 (0.55-2.40)	88 (33.0)	0.65 (0.34-1.27)	112 (41.9)	0.56 (0.29-1.09)	19 (7.1)	0.35 (0.12-1.01)
<i>H pylori</i>										
Yes (n = 68 [21.9%])	32 (47.1)	1	20 (29.4)	1	25 (36.8)	1	32 (47.1)	1	1 (1.5)	1
No (n = 243 [78.1%])	84 (34.6)	0.60 (0.35-1.04)	69 (28.4)	0.95 (0.53-1.73)	84 (34.6)	0.83 (0.48-1.44)	103 (42.4)	0.94 (0.53-1.66)	24 (9.9)	<b>9.16 (1.18-71.08)</b>
Hepatitis A virus										
Yes (n = 44 [14.1%])	15 (34.1)	1	16 (36.4)	1	15 (34.1)	1	19 (43.2)	1	5 (11.3)	1
No (n = 267 [85.9%])	101 (37.8)	1.31 (0.65-2.61)	73 (27.3)	0.65 (0.33-1.31)	94 (35.2)	0.99 (0.51-1.93)	116 (43.4)	1.11 (0.55-2.23)	20 (7.5)	0.43 (0.14-1.34)
Herpes zoster virus										
Yes (n = 103 [33.1%])	31 (30.1)	1	30 (29.1)	1	36 (35.0)	1	45 (43.7)	1	9 (8.7)	1
No (n = 208 [66.9%])	85 (40.9)	1.64 (0.98-2.73)	59 (28.4)	0.97 (0.58-1.64)	73 (35.1)	1.02 (0.63-1.65)	90 (43.3)	1.07 (0.65-1.78)	16 (7.7)	0.92 (0.38-2.23)
Herpes simplex virus										
Yes (n = 151 [48.6%])	54 (35.8)	1	35 (23.2)	1	54 (35.8)	1	67 (44.4)	1	14 (9.3)	1
No (n = 160 [51.4%])	62 (38.8)	1.16 (0.72-1.85)	54 (33.8)	<b>1.77 (1.07-2.95)</b>	55 (34.8)	0.95 (0.60-1.50)	68 (42.5)	0.96 (0.59-1.55)	11 (6.9)	0.66 (0.28-1.55)
EBV										
Yes (n = 274 [88.1%])	104 (38.0)	1	77 (28.1)	1	92 (33.4)	1	115 (42.0)	1	21 (7.7)	1
No (n = 37 [11.9%])	12 (32.4)	0.84 (0.40-1.78)	12 (32.4)	1.29 (0.61-2.73)	17 (45.9)	1.77 (0.87-3.57)	20 (54.1)	1.98 (0.97-4.06)	4 (10.8)	1.59 (0.49-5.23)
<i>A lumbricoides</i>										
Yes (n = 45 [14.5%])	17 (38.4)	1	11 (24.4)	1	21 (46.7)	1	27 (60.0)	1	5 (11.1)	1
No (n = 266 [85.5%])	99 (37.2)	1.10 (0.56-2.18)	78 (29.3)	1.42 (0.67-3.03)	88 (33.1)	<b>0.47 (0.24-0.93)</b>	108 (40.6)	0.66 (0.34-1.30)	20 (7.5)	0.62 (0.20-1.95)
<i>T trichiura</i>										
Yes (n = 28 [9.0%])	11 (39.3)	1	8 (28.6)	1	13 (46.4)	1	15 (53.6)	1	1 (3.6)	1
No (n = 283 [91.0%])	105 (37.1)	1.03 (0.45-2.34)	81 (28.6)	1.06 (0.44-2.57)	96 (33.9)	0.68 (0.30-1.51)	120 (42.4)	0.70 (0.31-1.58)	24 (8.5)	2.77 (0.34-22.56)

Boldface numbers are statistically significant.

\*sIgE and SPT results for at least 1 tested allergen.

†Adjusted for sex, age, maternal education, and parental asthma.

**TABLE E2.** Associations between prevalence of infections with sIgE levels, skin reactivity (SPT responses) to aeroallergens, current wheeze, current wheeze plus symptoms and asthma ever in life in children from 6 to 7 years old (n = 483)

Infections	sIgE ≥0.70 kU/L*		Positive SPT response*		Current wheeze		Current wheeze plus symptoms		Asthma ever in life	
	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†	No. (%)	OR (95% CI)†
<i>T gondii</i>										
Yes (n = 75 [15.5%])	25 (33.3)	1	18 (24.0)	1	16 (21.3)	1	23 (30.7)	1	7 (9.3)	1
No (n = 408 [84.5%])	160 (39.2)	1.28 (0.75-2.17)	125 (30.6)	1.36 (0.76-2.41)	85 (20.8)	1.00 (0.54-1.84)	113 (27.7)	0.88 (0.51-1.52)	29 (7.1)	0.78 (0.31-1.93)
<i>H pylori</i>										
Yes (n = 131 [27.1%])	48 (36.6)	1	39 (29.8)	1	22 (16.8)	1	32 (24.4)	1	9 (6.9)	1
No (n = 352 [72.9%])	137 (38.9)	1.07 (0.70-1.63)	104 (29.5)	0.98 (0.63-1.52)	79 (22.4)	1.40 (0.82-2.37)	104 (29.5)	1.25 (0.79-1.99)	27 (7.7)	1.14 (0.50-2.58)
Hepatitis A virus										
Yes (n = 70 [14.5%])	29 (41.4)	1	20 (28.6)	1	15 (21.4)	1	20 (28.6)	1	8 (11.4)	1
No (n = 413 [85.5%])	156 (37.8)	0.85 (0.50-1.45)	123 (29.8)	0.97 (0.55-1.72)	86 (20.8)	0.95 (0.51-1.78)	116 (28.1)	0.94 (0.53-1.67)	28 (6.8)	0.45 (0.19-1.10)
Herpes zoster virus										
Yes (n = 221 [45.8%])	82 (37.1)	1	64 (29.0)	1	52 (23.5)	1	67 (30.3)	1	14 (6.3)	1
No (n = 262 [54.2%])	103 (39.3)	1.06 (0.73-1.55)	79 (30.2)	1.04 (0.70-1.55)	49 (18.7)	0.75 (0.48-1.17)	69 (26.3)	0.82 (0.55-1.23)	22 (8.4)	1.47 (0.71-3.03)
Herpes simplex virus										
Yes (n = 251 [52.0%])	91 (36.3)	1	65 (26.0)	1	45 (17.9)	1	68 (27.1)	1	18 (7.2)	1
No (n = 232 [48.0%])	94 (40.5)	1.20 (0.82-1.76)	78 (33.6)	1.36 (0.91-2.03)	56 (24.1)	1.41 (0.89-2.21)	68 (29.3)	1.07 (0.71-1.61)	18 (7.8)	0.91 (0.44-1.89)
EBV										
Yes (n = 421 [87.2%])	157 (37.3)	1	123 (29.2)	1	89 (21.1)	1	117 (27.8)	1	32 (7.6)	1
No (n = 62 [12.8%])	28 (45.2)	1.30 (0.75-2.27)	20 (32.3)	1.03 (0.57-1.84)	12 (19.4)	0.92 (0.46-1.82)	19 (30.6)	1.15 (0.64-2.08)	4 (6.5)	0.85 (0.28-2.63)
<i>A lumbricoides</i>										
Yes (n = 82 [17.0%])	29 (35.4)	1	14 (17.1)	1	15 (18.3)	1	24 (29.3)	1	6 (7.3)	1
No (n = 401 [83.0%])	156 (38.9)	1.18 (0.70-1.99)	129 (32.2)	<b>2.09 (1.12-3.91)</b>	86 (21.4)	1.34 (0.71-2.52)	112 (27.9)	0.97 (0.56-1.67)	30 (7.5)	1.02 (0.39-2.68)
<i>T trichiura</i>										
Yes (n = 55 [11.4%])	18 (32.7)	1	8 (14.5)	1	10 (18.2)	1	15 (27.3)	1	4 (7.3)	1
No (n = 428 [88.6%])	167 (39.0)	1.38 (0.74-2.54)	135 (31.5)	<b>2.52 (1.15-5.52)</b>	91 (21.3)	1.29 (0.62-2.70)	121 (28.3)	1.08 (0.57-2.05)	32 (7.5)	0.98 (0.32-3.06)

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